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STOCKPILE ACCEPTS TIN OFFERS

Fort Belvoir, VA - The Defense National Stockpile Center today announced the negotiated award of approximately 8,136 metric tons of tin under Solicitation of Offers, DLA-TIN-014. The award was made to American Iron & Metal Co., Montreal, Canada, and Consider, Inc., New York, NY for an approximate value of \$40 million.

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